

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

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18. (currently amended) A swing (1) with a frame (4) with four side elements (2) and four connecting elements (3) and a bearing surface (7) with a plurality of interwoven longitudinal and transverse band elements (5), wherein said longitudinal and transverse band elements (5) have fastening elements (6) on their two end sections to be connected to opposing side elements (2), wherein the connecting elements (3) comprise a lower (3b) and an upper (3a) half shell so that bordering side elements (2) , whose outer diameters correspond to the inner diameters of the connecting elements (3), can be clamped between the upper 93a) and the lower (3b) half shell of a connecting element (3) fastening elements (6) are loops for receiving the side elements (2).

19. (previously presented) The swing (1) according to claim 18, in which the frame (4) is rectangular.

20. (currently amended) The swing (1) according to claim 18, in which fastening elements (6) of the loops (6) are woven into the band elements (5) are loops for receiving the side elements (2).

21. (currently amended) The swing (1) according to claim ~~18~~20, in which the loops (6) are woven into the band elements (5) ~~frame (4) has eight side elements (2) and eight connecting elements (3).~~

22. (currently amended) The swing (1) according to claim 18, which the frame (4) has eight side elements (2) and eight connecting elements (3) ~~side elements (2) are tubes and in~~

~~which at least one tube (2) is curved, forming a downwardly curved bearing surface (7).~~

23. (currently amended) The swing (1) according to claim 18, in which the side elements (2) are tubes and in which at least one tube (2) is curved, forming a downwardly curved bearing surface (7) ~~frame (4) of the swing (1) can be suspended on four fastening devices (8) on four connecting elements (3).~~

24. (currently amended) The swing (1) according to claim 18, in which the frame (4) of the swing (1) can be suspended on four fastening devices (8) on four connecting elements (3) ~~connecting elements (3) are bent tube sections consisting of a lower (3b) and an upper (3a) half shell so that bordering side elements (2), whose outer diameters correspond to the inner diameters of the connecting elements (3), can be clamped between the upper (3a) and the lower (3b) half shell of a connecting element (3).~~

25. (previously presented) The swing (1) according to claim 18, in which the fastening devices (8) comprise screw elements that function at the same time as a clamping device for the lower (3b) and the upper (3a) half shell of the connecting elements (3).

26. (previously presented) The swing (1) according to claim 18, in which the connecting elements (3) and side elements (2) are manufactured from light metal, are weather-resistant and are surrounded with a damping material as a protection against bumps.

27. (previously presented) The swing (1) according to claim 18, in which the swing (1) is assembled in that a fourth side element (2) is run through the loops of the band elements only after the attaching of the band elements (5) to three of the side elements (2) and the interweaving of the band elements (5).

28. (previously presented) The swing (1) according to claim 18, in which the connecting elements are assembled after the attaching of the side elements (2) to the band elements (5)

and after the weaving of the band elements (5).

29. (previously presented) The swing (1) according to claim 18, in which the swing (1) can be suspended in the form of a single-point-, two-point or multi-point suspension.

30. (previously presented) The swing (1) according to claim 18, in which the band elements (5) are connected by a contact means.

31. (currently amended) The swing (1) according to claim 18, in which the connection between side elements (2) and connecting elements (3) is positive.

32. (currently amended) The swing (1) according to claim 31, in which the side element (2) is a tube that is widened out on its ends and the connecting element (3) has a corresponding recess.

33. (currently amended) A frame (4) with four side elements (2) and four connecting elements (3) and a bearing surface (7) with a plurality of interwoven longitudinal and transverse band elements (5), wherein said longitudinal and transverse band elements (5) have fastening elements (6) on their two end sections to be connected to opposing side elements (2), wherein the connecting elements (3) comprise a lower (3b) and an upper (3a) half shell so that the bordering side elements (2), whose outer diameters correspond to the inner diameters of the connecting elements (3), can be clamped between the upper (3a) and the lower (3b) half shell of a connecting element (3) ~~fastening elements (6) are loops for receiving the side elements (2).~~